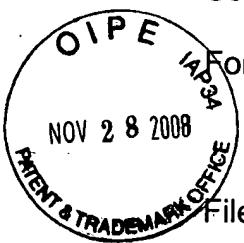


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Applicant(s): Leister et al.

Serial No.: 10/537,752

For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING BOROSILICATE GLASSES,
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

This is a petition for extension of time for a total period of one (1) month.
Based on the extension requested, the extended period for response will expire on
November 24, 2008.

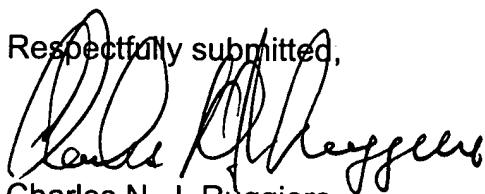
A check in the amount of \$130.00 is enclosed with this Petition. The
Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment, to
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